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DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 6242173 B1

TITLE: Immunoassays for catalytically-active, serine proteases

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ABSTRACT:

Methods for detecting and/or quantifying catalytically-active, serine proteases in a biological fluid are disclosed. The methods are useful for measuring the active enzymes of the coagulation/fibrinolytic system and evaluating the system or components of the system as indicative of thrombosis-related disorders. The methods involve the combined use of halomethyl ketone probes having broad specificity for catalytically-active serine proteases and immunological reagents specific for serine proteases of particular types. The halomethyl ketone probes are active site specific; they are only incorporated into catalytically-active serine proteases. An antibody is used to provide specificity for the particular type of serine protease. By the combined active-site-specificity of the halomethyl ketone probes and the type-specificity of the antibody, the catalytically-active fraction of a particular serine protease is determined.

36 Claims, 3 Drawing figures Exemplary Claim Number: 1 Number of Drawing Sheets: 2

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2. Document ID: US 5627036 A

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TITLE: Use of an anticoagulant as a diagnostic agent

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ABSTRACT:

Detectably labelled annexines and compositions thereof are disclosed. Also disclosed are methods for diagnosing a disruption or activation of the hemostatic system or a prothrombotic state in an individual suspected of having a hemostatic disorder, by contacting the blood of said individual with an annexine, and detecting whether an annexine-platelet complex is formed.

27 Claims, 8 Drawing figures Exemplary Claim Number: 1 Number of Drawing Sheets: 5

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3. Document ID: US 5552296 A

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TITLE: Method for the determination of coagulation parameters

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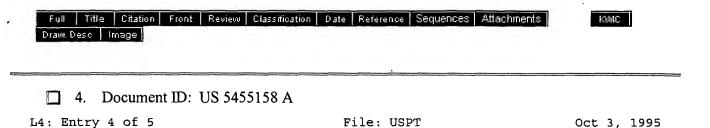
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ABSTRACT:

In a method for the determination of coagulation parameters in sample material via a reaction cascade in which a thrombin-catalyzed formation of a fibrin clot from fibrin monomers occurs and the formation of the fibrin clot is measured, an inhibitor of F XIII is added. By this means the reaction vessel can be used several times for coagulation tests.

18 Claims, O Drawing figures Exemplary Claim Number: 1



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TITLE: Fibrin binding domain polypeptides and uses and methods of producing same

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ABSTRACT:

This invention provides an imaging agent which comprises a polypeptide labeled with an imageable marker, such polypeptide having an amino acid sequence substantially present in the fibrin binding domain of naturally-occurring human fibronectin and being capable of binding to fibrin. The invention further provides a method wherein the imaging agent is used for imaging a fibrin-containing substance, i.e., a thrombus or atherosclerotic plaque. Further provided are plasmids for expression of polypeptides having an amino acid sequence substantially present in the fibrin binding domain of naturally-occurring human fibronectin and being capable of binding to fibrin, hosts containing these plasmids, methods of producing the polypeptides, methods of treatment using the polypeptides, and methods of recovering, refolding and reoxidizing the polypeptides. The invention also provides for purified polypeptides substantially free of other substances of human origin which have an amino acid sequence substantially present in the fibrin binding domain of naturally-occurring human fibronectin and which are capable of binding to fibrin.

8 Claims, 98 Drawing figures Exemplary Claim Number: 1 Number of Drawing Sheets: 86

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TITLE: Thrombus specific conjugates

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ABSTRACT:

Disclosed is a method of targeting reagents to the locus of a clot, and a family of substances that have affinity for fibrin. The method and substances exploit the discovery that the binding sites on protein A from Staphylococcus aureus have a significant affinity for fibrin. These fragments, analogs thereof, and oligomers of the fragments or analogs, may be attached to fibrinolytic enzymes, remotely detectable radiation emitting moieties, or healing agents to produce reagents which have affinity for the site of a wound or intravascular clot where fibrin has been deposited. Constructs comprising repeats of truncated analogs of the binding domain have low affinity for circulating immunoglobulin and high affinity for fibrin.

11 Claims, 6 Drawing figures Exemplary Claim Number: 1 Number of Drawing Sheets: 11

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